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## Big Air Transport Missing

Brig. Gen. Cullen Among the 53 on C-124 as Wide Search is on

WASHINGTON, March 23—(P)—A big air force transport plane with 53 aboard is missing on a flight over the Atlantic from the United States to England, the air force reported today.

One of those aboard was identified by the air force as Brig. Gen. Paul T. Cullen, deputy commander at Barksdale Field, near Shreveport, La., who was enroute to an undisclosed European destination.

Reports earlier from London said the transport, a C-124 known as Globemaster II, vanished in the rain and fog over the ocean after making a routine radio report last night (8 p.m. EST) that it was 800 miles southwest of Ireland.

American, British and Irish search and rescue planes combed the area where the plane was last reported without sighting any trace of wreckage or life rafts.

### Hopes for Safety

The air force said in mid morning however, it still held hope for the plane because it could have reached Iceland or the Azores. Communications with those areas have been bad for hours.

An air force spokesman said the giant transport had about eight hours of fuel left when it last reported. It was then within six hours flight of Ireland, Iceland or the Azores.

The air force said weather conditions have made radio communication very difficult in the North Atlantic and that messages have not gone through to several places where the missing plane could have landed.

Another big plane, a military air transport, was temporarily reported overdue on a flight from Iceland to this country. It later landed safely at Argentine, Nfld.

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## Spring Weather Stay is Brief

### By The Associated Press

Spring-like weather ended its short stand over midwest areas today as a blast of cold air from Canada moved across the border.

The cold air spread southward over the northern plains and upper Mississippi valley. Temperatures dropped to near zero in some parts of the corn belt after yesterday's near normal marks.

Light snow fell in some parts of the midwest and the cold was accompanied by strong winds.

The wintry weather was expected to extend over most of the central part of the country by tonight. But forecasters said no extreme cold appeared in prospect.

It was generally fair and mild over the southern and eastern parts of the country and it was fair and cool in the Pacific northwest.

Readings in the 80's were reported yesterday as far north as Kansas and Arkansas and in the 60's in southern Iowa and central Illinois. They climbed to 90 in parts of Texas.

## Moberly Man is Shot by Police

KANSAS CITY, March 23—(P)—A 24-year-old Moberly, Mo., man was wounded last night by police, who said he had resisted arrest at his apartment.

The three defendants who eventually made the arrest identified the man as Buford Hayes Rice, 24. He was reported in fair condition today at General Hospital. Police placed a hold order on him.

The shooting occurred after four men stopped a police car and reported they had been beaten by a man wielding a knife and wearing a maroon shirt.

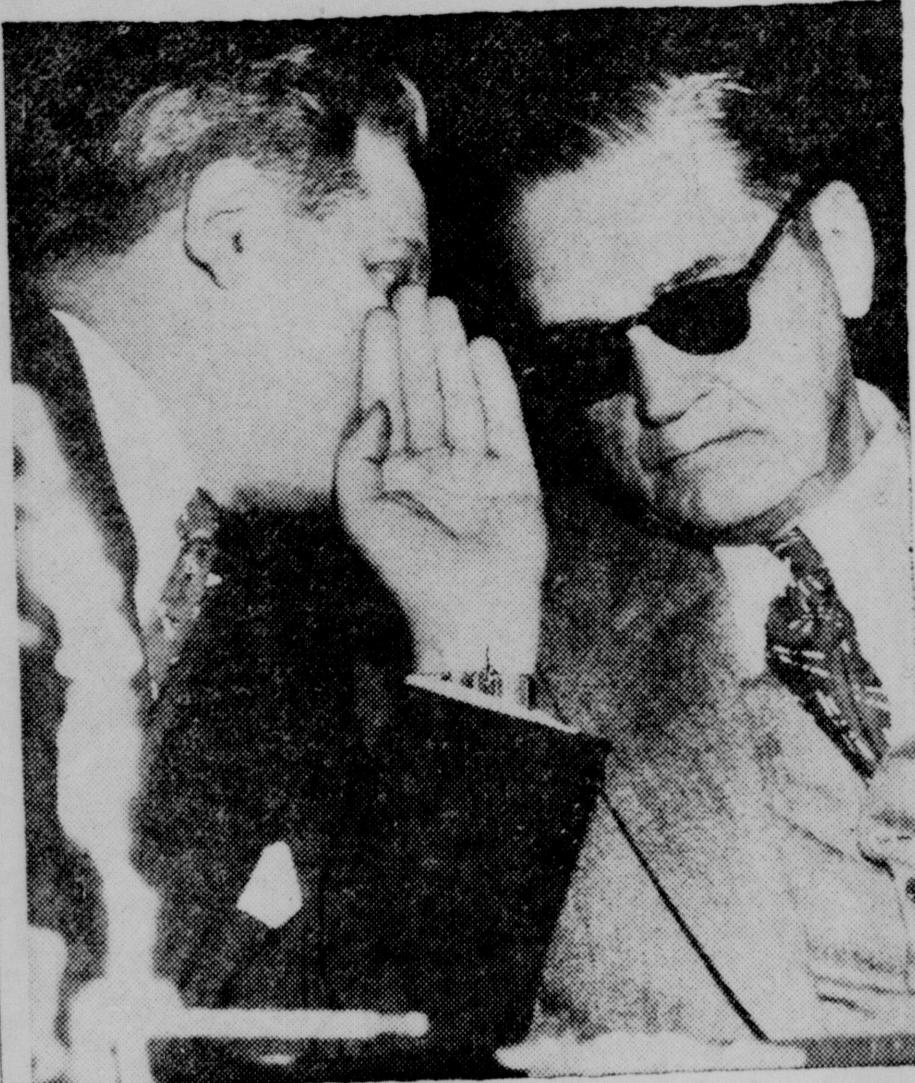
## Typhoon Draws Near Eniwetok

PEARL HARBOR, March 23—(P)—A violent typhoon today was moving toward the U. S. atomic testing atoll, Eniwetok.

Eniwetok, in the Marshall Islands, was not considered in immediate danger. The typhoon was not expected to reach the vicinity before late tomorrow.

To Advise On Price Regulations  
A. R. Maulsby of Kansas City will be at the Cotton-Cotton high school cafeteria at 7:30 o'clock tonight to advise merchants and others interested in the Ceiling Price Regulation No. 7.

## Carroll Coached For Testimony



James J. Carroll, St. Louis betting commissioner, is coached by his attorney, Morris A. Shenker (left), as he takes the witness stand March 22 before the Kefauver Senate crime investigating committee in Washington. Carroll opposed television transmission of his appearance. (AP WIREPHOTO)

## 'Money Down Hundred Rat Holes' Now

### W. M. Jeffers in Letter to Barclay So Declares

WASHINGTON, March 23—(P)—William M. Jeffers, World War II boss of the federal rubber program, says President Truman is pouring a "hundred rat holes" and has lost the people's confidence.

"Any thinking man knows we cannot look to the President for constructive leadership," Jeffers declared in a letter to Vice President Barkley.

"He is still operating on the old principle of 'tax and tax, spend and spend, elect and elect.'

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## Orders Bill Cook To Alcatraz

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 23—(P)—Slaver Bill Cook was ordered to Alcatraz prison today to begin serving a 300-year sentence.

S. Marshal Rex Hawks received the order from Federal Prison Director James V. Bennett but he refused to disclose exactly when—or how—the kidnapper—six of six persons, will remain in Alcatraz until—and if—he is indicted by an Imperial county Calif., grand jury on a murder and kidnapping charge.

Federal Judge Stephen S. Chandler meted out the 300-year sentence Wednesday. Cook had pleaded guilty to kidnapping and killing the five-member Carl Mosser family of Atwood, Ill., and dumping their bodies in an abandoned mine shaft at Joplin, Mo.

The sentencing—five 60 year terms to run consecutively—brought an abrupt end to a lengthy hearing of the Missouri ex-convict.

District Attorney Don Butler then announced in El Centro, Calif., that the Justice department in Washington had authorized Cook's removal to California to face murder and kidnapping charges in the death of Seattle salesman Robert H. Dewey.

Chandler ruled Cook did not "sufficient mental capacity to commit a crime warranting the death penalty."

But, if convicted and judged sane in El Centro Cook could receive the maximum penalty—death.

Cook was captured Jan. 14 in Mexico after a wide search throughout the southwest. He kidnapped Mr. and Mrs. Mosser and their three children in Oklahoma county Dec. 30. They were killed Jan. 2 and their bodies were found Jan. 15.

Central Missouri: Colder tonight, lowest near 30 degrees. Saturday fair, highest near 50.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 62 degrees; 2 p. m. 52 degrees.

Lake of Ozarks: 9:30; fall 6.

Thought for Today

Living religion grows not by doctrines but by the narratives of the Bible; the best Christian religious doctrine is the life of Christ, and after that the sufferings and deaths of His followers, even those not related in the Holy Writ.

—Richter.

## Cut Call In Half in April

### Is Reduced to 40,000 the Army Has Announced

WASHINGTON, March 23—(P)—The army announced today it is cutting in half the April draft call of 80,000.

It announced the April call has been reduced to 40,000.

An increase in voluntary enlistments and a decline in Korean casualties made the action possible, the army said.

The army notified Selective Service headquarters that the reduction in the quota could be made "without interfering with the planned expansion of the army's strength."

The announcement followed word to senators by Mrs. Anna Rosenberg, assistant secretary of defense, that manpower commitments made to General MacArthur are expected to be met in April—for the first time since the Korean war began.

### Enlistments Increased

The army said the reduced call was attributable to two factors:

1. "New enlistments in January and February totaled 46,000 as against an anticipated total for the two months of only 20,000. This represents a gain of 26,000 over the army's original expectations."

2. "Casualties in the Korean fighting were 16,000 below estimates based on casualties sustained in the earlier phases of the fighting."

The downward revision today reduces the total of monthly quotas called since last September from 590,000 to 550,000.

"The cut in the April draft call," the army said, "will not interfere with the attainment of the army's required strength in accordance with the schedule planned by the joint chiefs of staff."

The speed of expansion is necessarily limited by the availability of training facilities, equipment, clothing and experienced personnel to carry on the training."

## Ancient Hats But Really Spring Ones

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 23—(P)—A group of young girls here are wearing some rather ancient looking hats.

On the fronts of them they have sewed old door springs or small upholstering springs.

To those who stare and ask why, the answer is:

"The only real spring hats in town."

## Atomic Plant To Colorado

### Is to be in Rocky Flats in Area of Boulder

WASHINGTON, March 23—(P)—The government announced today a \$45,000,000 atomic production plant, for a "secret type of operation," will be built in Colorado.

The plant will be operated by the Dow Chemical Co. of Midland, Mich., and will employ about 1,000 persons when in full operation.

AEC said construction probably will begin late next month and approximately 2,000 construction workers will be employed on the project at the peak of the building work in early 1952.

The Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) said the plant will be located on a four-square mile site in the rocky flats area of Boulder and Jefferson counties.

Army engineers will start acquisition of the land immediately, AEC said.

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• The Washington Merry-Go-Round

## Eisenhower Has Made Europe Preparedness A Partial Reality

By Drew Pearson

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PARIS—It is now more than two years since the foreign ministers of 12 nations met in solemn conclave in Washington and, accompanied by Klieg lights and overseas broadcasts, signed the North Atlantic pact.

The purpose of that pact was to protect the liberty-loving democracies from Soviet aggression. In the two years that have passed, however, not one single division has been raised to block that aggression, and there has been no agreement on pooling of raw materials, no schedule for production, no program for propaganda and political warfare, and no coordination of intelligence reports—in brief, all that the North Atlantic pact countries have after two years of talking is a piece of paper plus an array of cumbersome committees which got in each other's way.

It was this emaciated skeleton of a defense organization that Gen. Dwight Eisenhower took over less than three months ago. Actually, he didn't exactly take it over; for Eisenhower, as supreme commander, reports back to "the standing group" in Washington, where Gen. Omar Bradley is his boss, and the standing group, in turn, takes orders from NATO, or the North Atlantic Pact Organization, in London.

Out of this tangled skein of red tape, however, Eisenhower has emerged as a contagious and forceful catalyst. Already his influence is being felt; already he has made European preparedness a partial reality. He doesn't talk in terms of so many troops here or so many troops there but in terms of goals, teamwork and cooperation.

The biggest thing Eisenhower has done, however, is to inspire confidence. There is a sort of contagious, almost spiritual, driving force about Eisenhower when he talks with his Allied colleagues. His job is partly one of public relations between governments, to get them to stop bickering over who will manufacture a three-inch fuse and how much they will be paid for it or who will make a 90-millimeter gun and what price they will charge for it. This is what NATO has been bickering over for two long years, and what Ike is trying to make them see is that having a certain command is not a question of prestige but an obligation and a responsibility.

Another thing Ike has done is to insist that every member of his international organization function as a team. If a Dane starts talking like a Dane, not as part of the team, he is through as far as Eisenhower is concerned. **Morale Boost Soon**

The first big boost to North Atlantic pact morale will come early in April when America's first division of troops under NATO will dock at Havre, march up the Champs Elysees and then entrain for Germany.

This is going to be the biggest lift to European defense psychological since June, 1944, when Eisenhower landed other U. S. troops on the Normandy beachhead. However what has been diplomatically suggested to France and England is that they make this psychological impact even greater by adding one division each to the North Atlantic Pact Organization on the same day the American division lands.

Thus, as U. S. troops land at Havre, a British division would land at Cherbourg, with a French division joining them in Paris, and all three then entraining for the area where the Red army, if it strikes, would strike first—Germany.

**Note**—At present Eisenhower has only eight divisions to defend a 500-mile line from the Baltic to Switzerland if the Red army moves. On the other immediate side of this line the Russians have about 30 German divisions plus around 70 divisions in the Russian standing army. To meet this France has promised 10 divisions this year and England five for Europe and five for other parts of the British Empire.

**Ike's On Diet**

One of the first things Ike did to speed work at his Allied headquarters in the Astoria hotel in Paris was to abolish the typical two-to-three-hour Parisienne lunch. He did this by setting up a dining room at his headquarters and then putting an Englishman in charge of English foods so bad that the Allied officers spend only 30 minutes lunching.

**Meet By Rural Youth Group**

Members of the Rural Youth organization met in the Knob Noster school auditorium Thursday night. An address on banking was given by L. P. Lay, cashier of the Knob Noster Bank. A social hour was held and refreshments were served.

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## The Readers Write

By Rev. Henry J. Luker,  
Pastor Zion Lutheran Church  
Lincoln, Missouri

This year brings the earliest Easter—March 25—that we shall see during the remainder of the twentieth century. March 25 is not the earliest date possible. Easter can fall as early as March 22, though it has not done so since 1818. Only five Easter between 1801 and 2000 are listed as earlier than this year's. The latest possible date for Easter—April 25—was recorded in 1886 and again in 1943.

Ike's chief personal problem, however, is not dieting but Mrs. Eisenhower's reluctance to return to Europe. During the long war years and during the period before them, when Ike was in the Philippines, the Eisenhower family never had a home of their own.

Finally, at Columbia, Mrs. Eisenhower revamped the president's mansion and had just got comfortably settled when her husband was yanked off to Europe. Naturally, Mrs. Ike wasn't enthusiastic although now she realizes the tremendous challenge facing him and she is almost beginning to like their poorly heated Paris apartment.

### Step Toward Unifying Europe

Some significant trans-Atlantic haggling is taking place regarding what could be one of the most important by-products to emerge from European rearmament—namely, an educational program for Allied troops on why we oppose communism. If properly realigned, this could be the first real step toward unifying Europe.

Some of Eisenhower's staff, realizing that several thousand troops would be on their hands in Germany with relatively nothing to do, proposed a troop indoctrination program similar to the historic "Why We Fight" films produced by Hollywood's Frank Capra during the war. They also proposed radio talks by Eisenhower to his troops on the reasons why they are in Europe, together with the goals and ideals of democracy as against communism.

However, because this verges on things political, the State department and the British got scared. State department officials didn't like the army barging into their field, while the British held up their hands in horror at any American propaganda going to their troops.

Trans-Atlantic wire-pulling is still continuing over what could be the most important phase of the entire rearmament program.

### Looking Backward

## Forty Years Ago

The Sedalia high school purchased a new piano for the auditorium without an appropriation from the school board. Part of the fund for acquiring it were raised through a play given by the Athenaean club.

Dr. R. Seaton Tyler, representative of Pettis county in the state legislature, was in the city on his way to his home at Dunksburg.

S. H. Couey of Trinidad, Col., father of E. W. Couey, was in the city visiting Sedalia relatives and before returning home will also visit in Saline county.

A. A. Krause, general claims attorney for the M. K. & T. with headquarters in St. Louis, left for Jefferson City after a visit here on company business.

### Demonstrations To L. H. Club

Mrs. Ella Eckoff was hostess to the March meeting of the L. H. M. Extension club in Lincoln which met at her home last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Norman Gerken and Mrs. Oliver Kreisler presented the lesson on garden planning.

Plans for a demonstration of the various projects carried out by the club during the past year, which includes aluminum trays, glass etching, slip covers, children's clothing and others, were given by members of the club for Home Demonstration week. It was decided that each member would invite one or more guests to this meeting.

The club contributed \$2.50 to the Red Cross fund. Guests were Mrs. Walter Peters and Mrs. Boltz of Ionia and Mrs. Arnold Steffens and son of Lincoln.

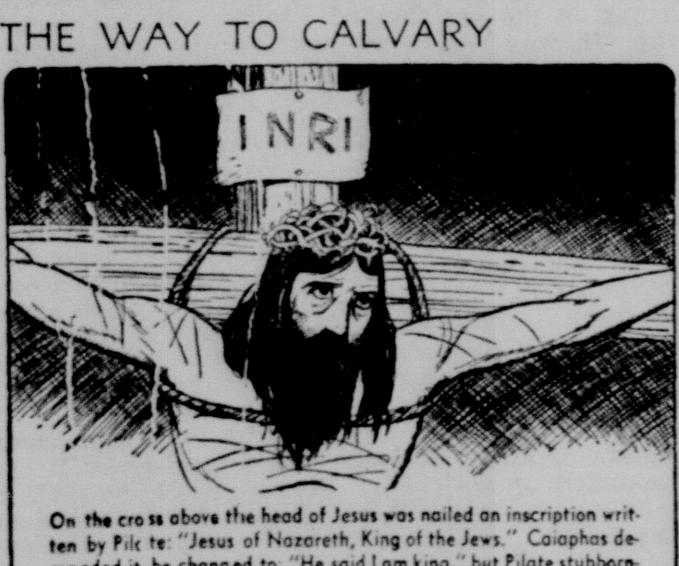
Mrs. Truman Eken will be hostess at the April meeting of the club which will be held at her home in Lincoln.

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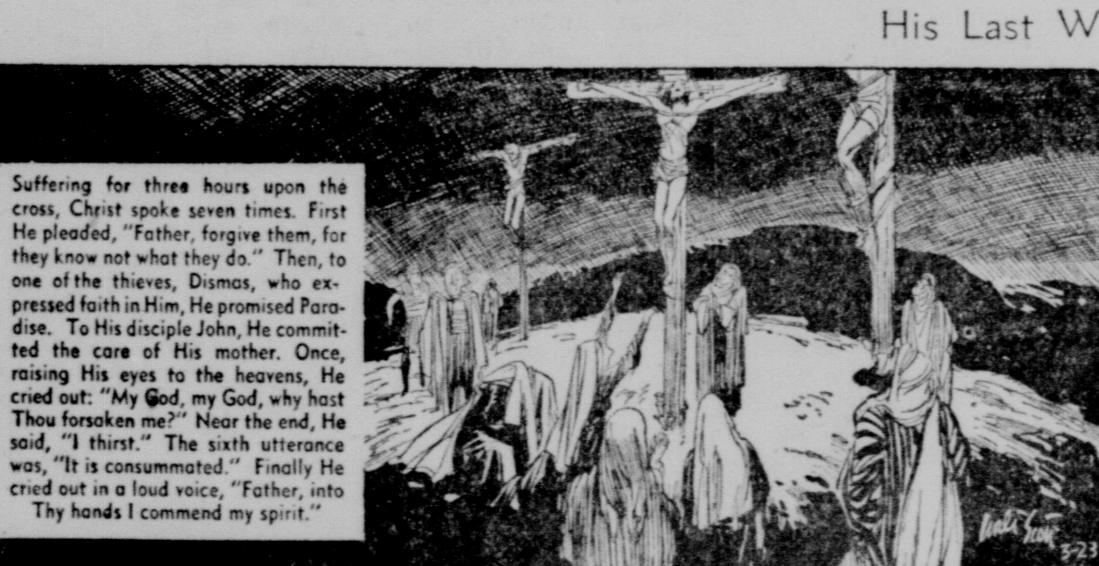
### THE WAY TO CALVARY



Suffering for three hours upon the cross, Christ spoke seven times. First He pleaded, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." Then, to one of the thieves, Dismas, who expressed faith in Him, He promised Paradise. To the other thief, Gestas, He offered the care of his mother. Once raising His eyes to the heavens, He cried out: "My God, my God, why hast Thou forsaken me?" Near the end, He said, "I thirst." The sixth utterance was, "It is consummated." Finally He cried out in a loud voice, "Father, into Thy hands I commend my spirit."

On the cross above the head of Jesus was nailed an inscription written by Pilate: "Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews." Caiphas demanded it be changed to: "He said I am king," but Pilate stubbornly refused.

### His Last Words



From all of Italy—from all the countries of Europe—they came to worship before this holy priest who bore the bleeding wounds of Christ.

Today, America knows of Father Pio because of the countless letters which tourists and American soldiers have written to the home folks... letters filled with glowing accounts of the powerful spiritual uplift they have received at the Monastery of San Giovanni Rotondo. Even priests are amazed at the unusual spiritual power of Father Pio. As he stands at the altar, his hands bleeding, he seems, like Christ, to be transformed into a celestial being. Those who come with doubt in their hearts are quickly transformed into ardent believers and his staunchest disciples.

As a safeguard against the idle curios and the sensationalists, Father Pio's superiors have placed him under the strictest obedience not to reveal his wounds unless special permission is granted. He has kept that obedience faithfully. Recently, when forced to undergo a minor operation, he refused all anesthetics in order to be certain at all times that his wounds were not viewed by unauthorized persons.

Within the monastery, Father Pio leads a regular life, simply and frugally but extremely busy. There are but four other priests and four laborers to handle all the limitless work of the monastery, so his day is always full. His work is continual, yet always it is accompanied by prayer.

Each morning begins with prayer and communion. Then he hears confessions of the women of his congregation, says Mass, and listens to more confessions. His afternoon is spent in prayer, but in the late afternoon, he partakes of a little bread, a few vegetables, and a sip of lemonade. He is a notoriously light eater, taking no meat but sometimes sampling a little fish that is brought over the mountains from Manfredonia near the Adriatic.

Shepherds from the hills and townsfolk from the villages are so unselfishly devoted to Father Pio that several years ago, when the people feared that he might be transferred to another monastery, they posted a guard of several men who watched over the priest night and day, and who had sworn that they would break into the monastery, if necessary, to keep their great benefactor from being taken away.

Thanks to Father Pio, the little monastery on the mountain top has brought God's light and love to the barren countryside. Already the devout have built numerous homes and villas about the monastery in order that they might spend all of their days close to Father Pio.

For the benefit of those who come from great distances to worship, and for tourists who wish to spend some time with Father Pio, a small hotel was recently built on the monastery grounds so that those who seek further edification may stay overnight for worship at this sacred shrine.

Yes, the road to the monastery on the mountain top is well-traveled. From all parts of the world they come... to contrite pilgrims anxious to worship alongside Father Pio, the stigmatic priest whose body bears the bleeding wound marks of Christ, anxious to bask in the ray of God's light that shines from the little monastery of San Giovanni Rotondo. Within the last year, Father Pio blessed a hospital built for the sick, located near the church. The late Fiorello LaGuardia, former mayor of New York City, contributed over \$20,000 for its construction.

### Personal Visit

It was my privilege as a Holy Year Pilgrim to have spent some time with Father Pio last year. Here are the details of that visit as I later recorded them:

It was while he was home on one of these visits that his mother, an extremely religious woman, detected for the first time the sudden expressions of pain which flashed across her son's face. Although he made every effort to keep them hidden from everyone, nevertheless the pain at times became too great to bear, and he was forced to confess to his mother the presence of the invisible stigmata—a miraculously stigmata that was actually to reveal itself a few years later in the form of the wound marks of Christ.

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## No, Thanks, I Have Plenty!"



do I think it would enhance your reputation any to have people saying I threw you out." He took her arm, led her back into the room. "I will go, if it will make you any happier."

"It will, considerably."

He shrugged, went to a closet immediately inside of the passageway. In a moment he was back with his hat, coat and gloves.

"Nobody will notice an artificial and conceited poor creature like me at this hour of the night." He went to the door. "And if anyone should notice, it will be said that you threw me out. That will be considered a misfortune."

He smiled his ironic smile. "Could it be it has occurred to you that he and you might make a very profitable combination? Could it ever be avarice, sweet?"

"I will be leaving in the morning."

"I shall try to be here in time to bid you adieu. Good night, my wonderful one."

## Resignation Demanded



Water Commissioner James J. Moran of New York holds telegram in his Brooklyn home in which Mayor Vincent Impellitteri demanded Moran's resignation and threatened to suspend him unless he resigned. Moran resigned later. The mayor said his action against Moran was prompted by disclosures by John P. Crane, head of the city Uniformed Firemen's association, before the Senate crime probe committee, that Crane gave Moran \$55,000 to have him on "our side." (AP WIREPHOTO)

## Hiss Arrives to Start Term



Alger Hiss, former State department official, crosses street on way to the federal courthouse in New York March 22 to surrender to authorities and begin serving his five-year term for perjury. Hiss, convicted of perjury because of his testimony before a federal grand jury investigating espionage, recently lost appeal to U.S. Supreme Court. (AP WIREPHOTO)

## Community News from

### Syracuse

#### Mrs. B. A. Bridges

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher returned Thursday evening from St. Louis where Mrs. Fisher had been a patient for two weeks in the Missouri Pacific hospital receiving medical treatment. She is convalescing at the home of her mother, Mrs. Edna Peoples.

Mrs. Lloyd Smith of Terre Haute, Ind., arrived Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson, who have been ill.

Mrs. J. D. Parsons returned home Sunday after spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Carrie Parsons, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wood of Eminence. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wood accompanied Mrs. Parsons home.

Van Bridges of Chicago, Ill.,

arrived Saturday for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Yarnell and daughter, Dorothy, and son Leroy, of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Wyss of Jamestown were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jorgenson and niece, Donna Yarnell, who celebrated her birthday Sunday.

The condition of Harold Stahl, who underwent surgery at the Bothwell hospital in Sedalia recently is satisfactorily.

The W. M. S. women observed the Week of Prayer for the Annie Armstrong Home Missions last week. They met Monday and Tuesday at the church; with Mrs. Leonard Stahl Wednesday, Mrs. Lewis Smith Thursday and Mrs. A. M. Smith Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Fowler and son Paul Wray, Mr. and Mrs. George Peoples and daughter Beulah Mae, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gulick and children, Melvin and Janice, attended a surprise birthday dinner Sunday for Mrs.

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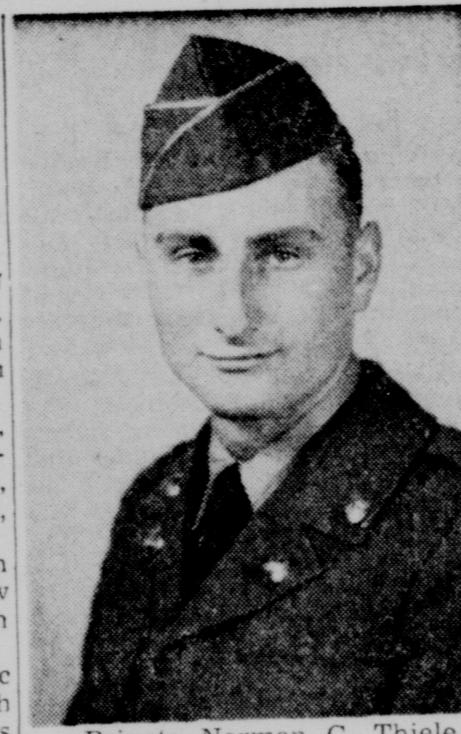
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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Baker and son, Melford, of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson and son, Wayne, of Tipton.

Mrs. Annie Foster returned home recently from Kansas City, where she had spent five weeks with her niece, Mrs. Roy Newkirk.

Mrs. Alpha Toler is critically ill at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Scott and family moved from a residence in Clarksburg to a farm southwest of Clarksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin S. Battles and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Battles' father, Leo Hentges, his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Hentges, of Centertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vaughan and son, Eddie Ray, of Sedalia, were week-end guests of Mrs. Vaughan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stinson. Sunday afternoon guests were Mrs. Stinson's father, William Lawson and his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Schaffer, of Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Renshaw, of Cooper county, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Martin and son, Alan.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Simmers and three children, spent Sunday with Mrs. Simmers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fielding McDaniel, of New Zion.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Battles were Sunday dinner guests in Tipton of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Koehner and children, Donald and Barbara Ann.

Those on the honor roll of the high school are, Ina Stinson, Robert Bruce, Margaret, Albert, Yvonne Hunt, Joan Medlin, Fern Schmidt, William Hunt, Patricia Leonard, Jean Ellen Donley, Lowell Harris, Ella Anderson and Betty Baker.

Mrs. George McDowell is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Needles visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Meyers, near Fortuna.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jenkins are parents of a daughter, born Monday March 19 at the Latham hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins live southeast of Clarksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Ream and three daughters, of Sedalia, visited Sunday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Welch.

Seaman Baker's cousin, Miss Louise Winebrenner, of Kansas City, met him and brought him to Clarksburg. She visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winebrenner.

Mrs. O. W. Raithel and grandaughter of Jefferson City, stayed at their country home, east of Clarksburg junction recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martin had as guests at Sunday dinner, Mrs. Raymond Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schmidt and daughters, Fern and Rose, of Lakota;

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Perkins visited last Wednesday with their daughter, Mrs. Elvin Fowler, and Mr. Fowler of Harrisonville. They accompanied Linda and Mary Margaret Fowler home after spending a week with their grandparents.

The condition of Andy Niermeyer, who was in a car accident last week, is satisfactory. Otto Zimmerschied and Jewell Page of Otterville, who were also injured are recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon C. Burbaker had as a dinner guest Monday, Mr. Burbaker's cousin, C. D. Cordry, of Fort Worth, Tex.

Percy Junior Lamm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lamm, Sr., is convalescing from an appendectomy two weeks ago at the Charles E. Still hospital in Jefferson City.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Ensley of Bunceton visited Sunday with Mrs. Harriet Cook and daughter, Cynthia.

Sedalia Lodge, No. 236, A. F. & A. M. members meet at Masonic Temple Seventh and Osage, Saturday morning, March 24th at 10:30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late brother Herman F. Rapp, to be held at the Fifth Street Methodist church at 11:00 o'clock.

Emmis D. Sutherlin, W. M. Ralph F. Boies, Secretary.

St. Omer Commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, extends a special invitation to all Sir Knights, their families and friends to attend the Easter Service at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning, March 25, 1951, Masonic Temple, Seventh street and Osage avenue.

R. W. Stephens, Com.

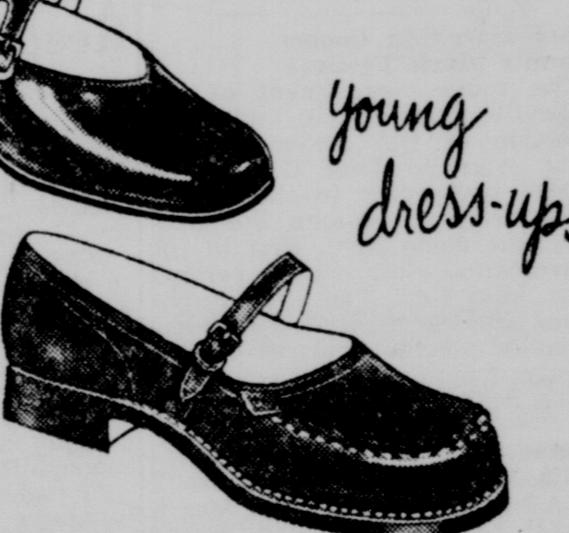
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S/1c William M. Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Green,

of Otterville, formerly of Sedalia, called his parents by long distance telephone Sunday night from Long Beach, Calif., informing them he had

arrived in the United States from the Korean area where he had been since the outbreak of the conflict. He has been on a tugboat and will go from Long Beach to Seattle, Wash., where his vessel will be in dry dock for three months. Seaman Green was graduated from the Otterville high school.

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## OBITUARIES

## Walter Parker Dawson

Walter Parker Dawson, age 82, died at 12:30 Thursday afternoon at his home in Clarksburg. He had been in failing health for sometime, however his death was sudden, due to a heart attack.

Mr. Dawson was born near Russellville, Mo., March 11, 1869, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Noah Dawson. He has been a resident of Clarksburg for the past ten years.

He married Miss Johanna Farmer, who survives. To this union was born nine sons and three daughters, who survive. They are: Wade of Webster Groves, Glen, St. Louis; Clifford and Arlie of Houston, Mo.; Dolph, Lebanon, Mo.; Horace and Enos of Reunions, Iowa; and Joseph of Clarksburg. Three daughters: Mrs. James Morgan of St. Louis, Mrs. Robert Dubois, Jacksonville, Ill.; and Mrs. Herbert Fulls of Los Angeles. Many grandchildren and great-grandchildren also survive.

The body is at the Richards funeral home in Tipton. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

**Mrs. J. L. Strickland**

Mrs. J. L. Strickland, formerly of the Beaman neighborhood, died at her home in San Gabriel, Calif., according to word received here by Mrs. Earl Wood of Beaman. Surviving are her husband and one daughter, Lillian, both of the home, and several nieces and nephews of the Beaman community.

Two sisters, Mrs. S. T. O'Neill and Mrs. George Cathey and one brother, J. F. Roberts, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held today at the DuBois funeral home in San Gabriel, Calif.

**Mrs. A. E. Dickerson**

Mrs. Louisa Ellen Dickerson, widow of the late Albert E. Dickerson, died at 6:00 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dee R. Swope, 601 East Fifteenth street. She had been in failing health for several years.

Mrs. Dickerson was born December 14, 1870, in Mercer county, the daughter of the late John W. and Lou Holt Delana. She was married to Mr. Dickerson on Jan. 17, 1892, and to this union were born eight children. Her husband, one daughter and two sons preceded her in death.

Surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Joe Bennett, Warsaw; Mrs. Charles Black, Monte Vista, Colo.; Mrs. George Gray, Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. Curtis Lopp, Smithton and Mrs. D. R. Swope, Seaford; one sister, Mrs. Mary Alice Johnson, Lander, Wyo., a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mrs. Dickerson was a member of the Flat Creek Baptist church. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Gillespie funeral home, with Rev. James Summers of Marshall.

Other scouts enrolled for the trip include: Richard May, Jim Whaley, Billy Balmer, Carl Vickrey, Don Angerer, Jim Andy McDonald, Kenneth Perkins, Ronald Miller, Ronald Fennwold, Jerry Schrimpf, Jon Cunnyngham, Jack Bonnot, Alan Platt and Richard Little of Jefferson City.

Also Peter Gore and Bill Reller of Lake Ozark, and Smith Sweeney and Dan Duggins of Marshall.

Announcement was made by Reinhold G. Miller, scout executive, that only a few more places were available. Scouts must be 14 years of age or over to participate in this activity.

## Robert Salmon to Hospital

Robert Salmon, 611 West Third street, has entered the Brooks General hospital at San Antonio, Tex., for medical treatment. Mr. Salmon is a navy veteran of World War II.

He was accompanied to San Antonio by Mrs. Salmon and their baby, who will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Don Salmon, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Salmon, who reside in San Antonio, brothers of her husband.

## Jacob W. Broyles Services

Funeral services for Jacob W. Broyles, 78, 801 West Main street, who died at the Bothwell hospital Wednesday evening, will be held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Rev. Walter P. Arnold pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church will officiate.

Friends who will serve as pallbearers are: Victor Young, G. C. Abney, Sr., James A. Chesser, Jack Starkey, Wilbur Dutton and Elmer Lane.

Interment will be in the Broyles' family lot in the Hopewell cemetery.

The body remained at the Ewing funeral home until time for the services.

Burial was in the Fairview cemetery in Marshall.

Funeral Saturday of  
Rev. MaGruder

LIBERTY, Mo., March 23.—(P) Funeral services will be held here Saturday morning for the Rev. Glenn Norvin MaGruder, the well-known Baptist minister died yesterday at the age of 68.

He had served churches at St. Charles, Bloomfield, Atlanta, Camden Point, Eldon, Odessa and Worth—all in Missouri.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

The body is at the Gillespie funeral home.

Burial was in the Fairview cemetery in Marshall.

**Jefferson PTA to Elect Tonight**

The Jefferson school PTA will have its regular meeting Friday evening at 7:30, March 23rd. There will be the election of officers for next year.

The fourth grade will present the speaker of the evening will be Dr. T. W. Croxton, pastor of the First Baptist church, who will use as his subject, "Easter." There will be some special music also.

Executive meeting will be in the office at 7:15.

## Bothwell Hospital

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Glenn Henderson, 1721 West Third street; Dale Burns, 1701 South Montgomery avenue; Mrs. Mary Woodward, 212½ South Lammine avenue and Mrs. Ruby Hamm, 903 East Seventh street.

Admitted for tonsillectomy: James Hall, Houston; Margaret Ann Hawkins, 311 East Jackson street.

Dismissed: Mrs. Blanch Wilson, 411 South New York avenue; Mrs. Emma Jean Turner, 214 East Fifth street; Mrs. Richard Ester, 1807 South Prospect avenue; Mrs. Guy Robinson, 1004 East Sixteenth street; Martha Kay and Virginia Staley, 917 South Grand avenue; Mrs. Robert Logan, route 3, Sedalia; Susan Bopp, 1216 West Second street; Otto Eldenburg of Florence; Mrs. Raymond C. Kline and daughter, 1816 South Carr avenue; Mrs. Harry Cannaday and daughter, 1920 South Washington avenue.

Found Dead In Car With Bottle of Poison

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., March 23.—(P) Joe W. Lane, 53, owner of a weather stripping firm here, was found dead yesterday in a parked automobile.

He was in the car at 10:30 a.m.

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## First Methodist Easter Program

6:30 a.m.—Easter breakfast for men under direction of Chas. F. Maggard.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday school, Glenn Stewart, superintendent.

10:30 a.m.—Worship service, Roy L. Bowers, minister.

Prelude—"Alleluia," organ and piano. Mrs. C. D. Demand, Miss Carolyn Stewart.

Hymn—"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today."

Call to Worship—Chancel choir.

Thought for silent prayer and silent prayer.

Closing the prayer—Chancel choir.

Responsive reading.

The Gloria Patri.

The Reading of the Scripture—Matthew 28:1-8.

The Pastoral Prayer—the minister.

The Choral Response—Chancel choir.

Hymn—"Welcome, Happy Morning."

The service and the offering.

Prayer of Dedication—Cecilian and Wesleyan choirs.

Organ Offertory—"Extase" (Gamer) Mrs. Demand.

The Anthem—"The Ninety and Nine," Chancel choir.

The Message—"A Day of Victory," the minister.

Invitation Hymn—"Alleluia."

Baptismal service and reception of new members.

Silent prayer.

The Benediction—the minister.

The Choral Response—Chancel choir.

The Organ Postlude—"Triumphant March," Mrs. Demand.

## Lecture Sunday



## Cantata to be Given Sunday

"The Song of Triumph," an Easter Cantata, by Edward W. Norman, will be presented at the First Baptist church, at 7:45 o'clock Sunday night.

Mrs. A. R. Beach is director of music. Mrs. C. C. DeLozier, organist, and Miss Carole Pile, pianist.

Personnel of choir: Soprano, Mrs. T. W. Croxton, Mrs. Charles Farley, Mrs. Jim Reed, Mrs. Carl Yessen, Miss Laura Fairfax, Miss Dorothy Kirkpatrick, Miss Anna Lee Harvey, Miss Joan Lewis, Miss Dorothy Williams, Miss Shirley Williams, Miss Sandra Baker, Miss Barbara Rissler, Miss Mary Jo Case, Miss Donna Lu Rudd, Miss Judy Rissler, Miss Judy Case, Miss Elaine Bial, Miss Anna Katherine Craig and Miss Jean Overmier, Altos: Miss Eleanor Jewell, Miss Shirley Thomas, Miss Shirley Kirkpatrick, Miss Pettie Ellsworth, Miss Rose Marie Reed, Miss Anita Parks, Miss Joyce Kubli, Mrs. Leona Golder Tenors: Kenneth Farley, Winston Ream, Paul Ginn, Aubrey Case, Donald Hoeffens, Bass: Carl Yessen, Ralph Hodges, Francis Rudd, Charles Brady and Joe Green.

Prelude, "My Redeemer Liveth"

Processional, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today."

Invocation and choral response.

"Lord God Omnipotent."

Responsive reading, "Christ Reining."

"Banner of the Cross."

"Meditation at the Cross."

The Easter Cantata will be presented as follows:

"Sing Unto the Lord," choir.

Responsive reading, "Tis Mid-night," congregation and choir.

"They Crucified Him," Francis Rudd and choir.

"Near the Cross Was Mary Weeping," Mrs. Jim Reed and choir.

"Choir Meditation," "O Calvary, Dark Calvary."

"God So Loved the World," Miss Eleanor Jewell.

"Dark Is the Garden," Winston Ream and men.

"Keep You Vain Watch," tenor and bass chorus.

Responsive reading.

"Christ Arose," congregation and choir.

"Hail the Easter Morn," choir.

"As It Began to Dawn," girls' chorus.

"Fear Not Ye," Kenneth Farley and choir.

"Saviour Divine," Mrs. Charles Farley.

"The Triumph Song," choir and male chorus.

Meditation, Rev. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor of the church.

"Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?"

Benediction and choral response.

"Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts."

Postlude, "The Heavens Are Telling."

The sheriff said King related this story:

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King said he was holding the man without formal charge.

Dillahunty said both King and his wife were former patients at Arkansas State (mental) hospital and that King had served a prison term in Iowa in connection with the wrecking of a train while he was in a Civilian Conservation Corps camp in that state more than 10 years ago.

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The bus is being sponsored by Mrs. Penelope Bell, president of the senior board of ushers and tickets may be obtained at 218 West Pettis.

Gold valued at more than \$604,000,000 was mined in the African Gold Coast the past 61 years.

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The bus is being sponsored by Mrs. Penelope Bell, president of the senior board of ushers and tickets may be obtained at 218 West Pettis.

Gold valued at more than \$604,000,000 was mined in the African Gold Coast the past 61 years.

Soapstone is used chiefly in roofing paper, foundry facings, insecticides, and as a filler for asphaltic paints.

Among the 2,000 new assignments announced by the Communications Commission were two for Sedalia—they were channel 6 (the present very high frequency), and channel 28 (one of the new proposed ultra high frequency channels).

## Tigers Enter Kemper Meet At Boonville

The Smith-Cotton high school track squad journeyed to Boonville today to participate in the 24th annual Kemper Military School Indoor Invitational Meet. This will be the second outing for the thin-clads of the Tiger coach, Bob Karnes. Last Saturday they finished sixth in the Central College Invitational Meet at Fayette. Karnes hopes the Tiger cinder squad will show improvement today.

This meet serves as a tune-up for the annual Missouri State high school indoor meet next week in Brewer field house at Columbia, in which the locals are entered.

Schools entered include Highman high of Columbia, Wentworth Military academy of Lexington, Hannibal, Rayton, William Christman of Independence, Richmond Heights, Maplewood, won the meet at Central College last week.

Coach Bob Karnes took 17-man squad which is composed of Skippy Schultz, Jim Dent, Bob Shawver, Bill McCrary, Don Pummill, Floyd Burton, Chester O'Bannon, David Lingle, Don Decker, Delbert Bryant, Herb Ford, Warren Keene, J. D. Schlobohm, Crosh Brown, Richard Stephens, Bob Williams and Bill Morgan.

## Montana Scare Aggies In NCAA At Kansas City

KANSAS CITY, March 23.—(P)—Washington's Huskies subdued Texas A&M 62-40 last night after Oklahoma A & M had gained the other semi-final berth by downing Montana State, 50 to 46, in the Western NCAA basketball playoffs.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 23.—(P)—Joe McKeppen, a scrawny 145-pound guard, scared the living daylights out of the Oklahoma A. & M. before the nation's no. two basketball team eked out a 50-46 victory over Montana State in the Western NCAA playoffs last night.

The Aggies, playing without their dependable Norm Pilgrim, plucked their defenses just often enough to squeak past Montana State. Pilgrim was on the sidelines under the NCAA rule that prohibits a player for competing four years for his college.

McKethen, wearing glasses and dribbling left-handed, scored only three times from the floor but he dropped in nine free throws that kept the Rocky Mountain team in the running and the 9,000 fans yelling.

He banged in all his baskets and six of his free throws after the intermission, which found the Oklahomans ahead 25-21.

## Big-7 Coaches Oppose Summer Cage Playing

KANSAS CITY, March 23.—(P)—Big Seven Conference basketball coaches have adopted a resolution opposing "any summer basketball promotion."

Reaves Peters executive secretary of the conference, said promotion was interpreted to mean any league, such as the Borscht circuit in the east, where athletes hold salaried jobs and compete in league competition.

The resolution, voted at a meeting of the coaches, will be sent to the conference athletic directors for possible action at the May meeting.

Several players involved in the recent college basketball betting scandal in New York performed in the Borscht league. Several University of Oklahoma basketball players competed in the league last summer.

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL-CENTRAL  
PRESBYTERIAN. Federated, Osage avenue and Sixth street. Rev. Glen Lindley, D. D., minister. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mrs. W. C. Housel, superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon there. "If Christ Be Not Risen." Music under the direction of Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist. Following prelude, "Easter Morning." Malling anthem, "By Early Morning Light." Dickinson, Solo, Mrs. A. A. Studebaker and choir with violin obligato by Prof. Oswald Rahm, solo, "Voices of Easter." Ashford, Mrs. Frank Yeager, anthem, "Easter Carol." Bush postlude, "Toccata on Easter Hymn." Thompson, The Youth Fellowship will meet at the church Sunday evening at 5:00 o'clock.

EPWORTH METHODIST. Broadway at Eugenie avenue. Ralph Hunt, minister. Easter dawn service 6:00 o'clock with Holy Communion by candlelight. Minister, But Mary Stood." Sunday school at 9:30. O. R. Cox is the general superintendent. Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon subject, "If It Were Not So." Mrs. Donald Donath will direct the Easter music, with Joann Harrell at the organ. Chiltington of the children and records in church membership and records in church membership at 5:30. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. The choir will present a Easter cantata, "The Song of Triumph" by Norman.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST. Fifth street and Osage avenue. Lee F. Soxman, minister; Merle Vaughan, church school superintendent. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Worship services 10:30 and 10:30 a. m. Anthems, "Lift Up Your Heads" (Ashford) and "The Resurrection" (Wilson); violin and organ duet, "Adoration" (Borodoff) and "Largo" (Handel). "Pilgrims On Earth" Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m. Family night service.

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (United Lutheran-Tenth street at Osage avenue). Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg, pastor; Mrs. Einer Englund, organist; Leonard Englund, choir director; Allen F. Telford, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school classes on Easter Sunday will meet at 9:30 a. m. The Easter worship with special music and sermon, will be held at 10:45 a. m. Pastor Freeberg will preach on the topic of Easter. Had Never Happened. Hand service on Holy Communion will be held after the service for those who could not receive the sacrament on Maundy Thursday.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN. 1220 East Broadway. J. W. Watts, pastor; W. H. Swift, superintendent of Bible school. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship and communion at 10:45. Vocal solo, "Holy City." Dr. F. H. Thorning, Easter anthem junior and senior choir, service by pastor. Easter service. Easter meeting. The young people will meet at 5:30 on Sunday and will have an Easter egg hunt. Sunday evening at 7:30 there will be colored Easter films shown during the service.

GOODWILL CIRCUIT, METHODIST. Rev. Carl Opp, pastor, Goodwill Chapel. Church school 10:00 a. m. Easter service. Easter dawn service 6:00 a. m. Children's page, sermon, choir, communion, new members, communion. No evening service. Church school sessions will also be held at the following places: Pleasant Hill, Dresden and New Bethel on Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Other Easter services on the circuit: Dresden, 7:00 a. m., sermon, choir, annual Easter breakfast at 8:00 a. m. New Bethel, 6:00 p. m., sermon, choir, communion. Pleasant Hill 8:00 p. m., sermon, choir, communion. District conference will be held at Clinton, March 29-30. 10:30 a. m. Quarterly conference on the circuit at Goodwill Chapel on Sunday, April 1, 2:00 p. m.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED. Fourth street and Vermeil avenue. William C. Bessmer, pastor; Miss Lillian J. Fox, director, organist and pianist; Lillian J. Fox, choir director, superintendent of church school. Good Friday service will be held this evening 7:30. Easter Sunday services 8:00 and 10:30 a. m. The choir will sing at both services: "Angels, Roll the Rock Away" by Scott, "Christ, Our Passover" by Schilling, Mrs. Ed Ringen and Miss Fox will play a piano-organ duo. "Easter Meditation" by Kohlmann. Regular church school will be held Sunday 9:30 a. m. The Youth Fellowship meets at the Federated church 5:00 p. m. The Churchmen's Brotherhood meets Tuesday, March 27, 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE OPEN BIBLE. 701 East Fifth street. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Sunday school rally. In the open service the theme will be "Blessings From the Son of Righteousness." This part will be illustrated by the teen-age class. In the class of the Sunday school will present their part of the program with the theme, "Christ, Alone." Songs, recitations etc. will be featured from the beginner, primary and junior departments. Rev. Parker will close the service with an Easter message. Overcomers 8:45 p. m. Special Easter service. Evangelistic service 7:45 p. m. Rev. Parker will bring an illustrated message on the topic, "A Covering for Sins."

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD. Sixth street and Emmett avenue. Rev. Robert Martin, pastor. Mid-week services Tuesday evening P. Y. P. A. 7:45. Bro. Johnie Smith in charge. Friday evening prayer and preaching 7:45. Pastor in charge. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Easter service 7:45. Thursday night March 29, 7:30 rally will convene at church at Sixth and Emmett. Out of town speakers.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD. Sixth street and Summit avenue. Rev. Mr. R. Van Kemp, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Carl Bellah, superintendent. Morning worship 11:00. Sermon, "Jesus Himself." Christ Ambassadors 6:30. Paul Adams, president. Evangelistic service 7:45. Sermon "Death! Hell! Grave!" Evangelistic service Wednesday 7:45. Thursday Ladies' Missionary Council.

CHURCH OF GOD. 320 North Engineer street. Rev. Arthur H. Smith, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Cecile Vansell, superintendent. Devotional service 11:00 a. m. Sunday night evangelistic service 7:45. Wednesday night prayer meeting 7:45. Thursday night Y. E. 7:45.

LAMONT METHODIST. Rev. E. C. Wright, minister. Church school 10:00 a. m. Worship service 11:00 a. m. Sermon, "Easter Morning Commencement." Dr. W. E. Wright. Solo by Mrs. Leonard Reavis. Psalm and reception of members. M. Y. F. 6:30 p. m. Mrs. B. M. Scott, teacher. Bible lecture with pictures. "From Joshua to Solomon," 7:30 p. m. There were 350 correct answers to the Bible Joshua to Solomon." 7:30 p. m.

SACRED HEART. Third street and Vandeventer. Father Andrew J. Brummett, pastor. Sunday masses 8:00, 8:30, 9:30 and 11:00 a. m. Weekdays, 7:00 and 8:15 a. m. Holy days of obligation, 8:00, 7:30 and 8:00 a. m. Sunday evening service 7:30 p. m.

ST. PATRICK'S. Fourth street and Washington avenue. Father T. J. Nolan, pastor. Sunday masses 8:00, 8:30 and 10:00 a. m. Holy Day masses 8:00, 7:30 and 8:00 a. m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST. Eleventh street and Lafayette avenue. Sabbath school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45. Youth service 7:45. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

FREE METHODIST. Thirteenth street and Marion avenue. J. A. Himes, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45. Youth service 7:45. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST. Sixth street and Lamine avenue. holds service 11:00 a. m. each Sunday morning at which testimonies are given. are held on Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. Sunday school for pupils up to twenty years of age begin at 9:30 a. m. The reading room in the west part of the church is open from 2 to 4 each afternoon, except Sunday and holidays. The church, the Christian Science textbook, all authorized literature may be read, borrowed or purchased in the reading room. "Matters" is the subject of the lesson-series in all churches of Christ, starting on Sunday, March 25. Golden text: Ps. 81:9, 10. Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is following from the Bible: "We can

"Have We Not All One Father? Hath Not One God Created Us?"

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Easter in Wartime

Death at this Easteride is written large on every hand. "What a strange way to start an Easter message," you will say. But the dominant thought and fact of Easter is the overcoming of death.

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But shocking is the realization that many deaths are the result of carelessness. More tragic even than the loss of sons and fathers fighting for the United Nations in Korea are the statistics on motor vehicle accidents last year.

Some 35,000 persons lost their lives on the highways in 1950. Fatal accidents in the home numbered 27,000. Here is a situation when we look at it objectively, that is really shameful.

We are wont to exclaim, "Why does God permit war?" We deplore the sacrifice of our younger men and of older ones in a battle over issues clouded by diplomatic wranglings. Yet, all the time more lives are actually sacrificed.

and Rev. Morgan Beach of Alvord, Texas.

Rev. H. L. Alley, the present pastor came to the church in March 1949. Since his coming 90 members have been added to the church, the parsonage has been completely remodeled, the church has voted to build a new church, a lot has been purchased on Sixteenth street and Quincy avenue, and as soon as weather permits work will begin on the new building.

At the anniversary banquet, which is to be held tonight (Friday) at 6:30 former pastors are expected to attend and letters will be read from others. The moderator, of Harmony Baptist association, Rev. T. W. Croxton, and wife; the vice-moderator, Rev. W. P. Arnold, and wife; and the association missionary, Rev. J. B. Ragsdale, and wife, will be guests. The program which will follow the banquet will be informal with the idea of fellowship being stressed.

At the anniversary program, which is being held on Easter Sunday one week early, because of the pastor's being away in revival meetings. Special music is being arranged and Rev. H. MacDonald Thompson, one of the early pastors, will deliver the morning sermon.

A service was to have been held on the new church lot in the afternoon but weather hindered the work on the building and the program which was planned will have to be postponed.

After a rally in the Training Union at 6:15 p. m. the choir will render a beautiful program of story and song entitled "The Awakening of Elaine." The church is looking forward to greater things in the next 25 years.

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Prof. Faurot was born in Laramie, Mo., and grew up in western Kansas. He is a graduate of Park college and has theological degrees from Westminster seminary, Montreal, received graduate of McGill and Ph. D. at Toronto in 1946. He has held pastorates at Cote des Neiges Presbyterian church, Montreal; St. Andrew's church, St. Lambert, Que., and the First Presbyterian church of Osage City, Kas. He has preached several services in Sedalia during interim between pastorates in the winter of 1948.

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## La Monte

## Mrs. E. P. Burke

Mrs. Fredrick Johnson, who has been in Japan for two years with her husband, Lt. Col. Johnson who is in the logistical command, has returned and visited last week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hollenbeck and Miss Rowena. Col. Johnson has been stationed in Japan for two and one half years.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stahlhut, of Knob Noster and Mr. and Mrs. Carol Bobbitt and daughter, Miss Rowena, of Warrensburg, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Terry Files and Mrs. Stahlhut's mother Mrs. Charles Mathews.

Mrs. Joe Scott and Mrs. R. M. Scott attended funeral services of William H. Wiley in Houston Sunday afternoon. Mr. Wiley was the father of Mrs. G. H. Scott, of La Monte.

Mr. and Mrs. August Tegtmeier entertained at dinner Saturday night at their home honoring the birthday of Pvt. Ira Williams, Jr., of Pine Bluff, Ark. Guests were, Pvt. Williams, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Williams, of Lee's Summit and faintly Robert and Eve-line Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Snow and daughter, Miss Joan Snow.

Miss Myrtle Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Vint Harris of Sedalia visited Sunday with Mr. Harris' brother an older brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Harris. Miss Mabel Harris of La Monte was also a guest of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gray of Martin City spent the week-end with Mrs. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wharton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gregory attended a community and project leaders meeting at the Fifth Street Methodist church in Sedalia Wednesday. A dinner was served by the chain stores council.

Mrs. Ida King who visited last week in Kansas City with her stepdaughter, Mrs. Robert Ellis and other relatives returned Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Moore, who spent the week-end with Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Minnie Downs accompanied them and visited her mother, Mrs. John Shelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farris of Kansas City visited Saturday with Mr. Farris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Farris.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Marshall and son Larry Joe of Sedalia and Mrs. Walter Scott of La Monte were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reavis entertained at a canasta party and dinner Saturday night. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rittman, of Kansas City and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perkins and son Leroy.

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ANNEPOLIS, Md., March 23.—The names of midshipmen officers serving during the final term at the United States naval academy here have been announced by Vice Adm. Harry W. Hill, superintendent of the academy.

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Walk-Out Ties-Up All Rail Traffic; Strikers Disregard Chance Of Jail Term

PARIS, March 22—(AP)—The French government cancelled police and army leaves today as strikers halted nearly all railway traffic in France.

The government-owned National Railway company was trying to keep a few trains running on the main lines.

Extra bus routes and planes were scheduled, but the Easter travel snarl promised record headaches.

Individual requisition (draft) orders had gone out to about 40,000 key railwaymen—nearly a tenth of the total force. Refusal to obey could mean a five-year jail sentence, but some were reported refusing.

### Police Holiday Ends

Police and troops on holiday leave were ordered to get back to their posts as soon as possible, or in the nearest available unit.

The strike is due to end tomorrow at midnight, but there was a chance that the pro-Communist General Confederation of Labor which had not formally called out its 300,000 supporters, would not tell them to go back to work either.

The strike was officially called by non-Communist unions which command only about 130,000 rail workers.

Other strikes persisted in the Paris area. The workers were demanding pay increases to meet rises in the cost of living.

**Commission To Fix Figure**

A special commission on collective bargaining met today to fix a new cost-of-living figure. Using its report as a basis, the cabinet tomorrow will take up the question of increasing the national minimum wage. This was set last summer at 17,500 francs (about \$50) a month for a bachelor in the Paris area.

Union Communists and non-Communist alike, are demanding 12 to 16 per cent increases. Walkouts have affected nationalized industries almost exclusively.

A week-old Paris strike still has most busses and subways halted, but Parisians are getting around with the help of army trucks and uplifted thumbs.

## Man Hides Body Of Wife; Says She Fell Dead

DEQUEEN, Ark., March 22—(AP)—Willie King, a 29-year-old itinerant laborer, today led officers to the decomposed body of his wife in an isolated spot near here. He said she died unexpectedly while he, she and their three children were hitch-hiking to DeQueen last November and that he concealed the body.

Sheriff Cecil Dillahunt, who reported the discovery and King's story, said he was holding the man without formal charge.

Dillahunt said both King and his wife were former patients at Arkansas State (mental) hospital and that King had served a prison term in Iowa in connection with the wrecking of a train while he was in a Civilian Conservation Corps camp in that state more than 10 years ago.

The sheriff said King related this story:

He, his wife, and three children had been visiting his father, Everett King, several miles east of DeQueen.

Last Nov. 21 the family left Everett King's home and started to DeQueen. En route they stopped at a spring in a wooded section. Mrs. King collapsed shortly after taking a drink from the spring. King found she was dead, and, becoming frightened, placed her body in a shallow gully and covered it with leaves.

## Praise Given Larry Parks

WASHINGTON, March 22—(AP)—Film star Larry Parks, self-confessed one-time Communist, was praised in the House today as a "great actor" and "loyal American." The praise was for his testimony yesterday before the House committee on un-American activities.

The unusual tribute was paid Parks by Rep. Velde (R-Ill.). It followed an expression by Rep. Potter (R-Mich.) voicing the hope the movie industry would not take reprisals as a result of Parks' admission he was a member of a party cell from 1941 to 1945.

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### Gov. Extends Bonus Deadline

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Car Dealer Surrenders

## Guzik Won't Give Proper Answers; Now Under Arrest

BY DON WHITEHEAD

WASHINGTON, March 22—(AP)—Racketeer Jacob (Greasy Thumb) Guzik came out of hiding today and quickly was slapped under arrest when he refused to answer questions of the Senate crime investigating committee.

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Guzik, a squat, pudgy mobster, had told the committee practically nothing, not even his age. He did acknowledge that his first name was Jacob, but then clammed up and, in a hoarse monotone, replied to question after question:

"I refuse to answer."

**Learns Phase On TV**

He parroted over and over that the questions "might incriminate me, tend to incriminate me to lead to incriminating me in some devious way." He explained he learned the phase by watching television.

The committee voted unanimously to hold Guzik under arrest for contempt. He was ordered held under \$10,000 bond for an appearance before the committee next Friday, March 30.

The balding, graying underworld character got his nickname "Greasy Thumb" when, according to reports, he was the treasurer and money-handler for the Chicago Capone mob. He was one of 17 missing witnesses for whom the Senate crime hunters had issued warrants.

**One Item Definitely Taken**

Other informants said the only item definitely known to be missing is a bank or building and loan association passbook owned by Mrs. Donald Dawson, who has charge of the files.

Mrs. Dawson is the wife of a White House aide who has been named by a Senate banking subcommittee as having exerted pressure on RFC in connection with loans.

Informants said a severed chain on a door leading to the file rooms gave the first tip-off to the prowlers' visit. Officials said the disclosure led the agency to install an electric lock and burglar-alarm system.

Meanwhile, Senators considered whether the RFC needs a new name along with a housecleaning to regain public confidence in the multi-billion-dollar federal lending agency.

**Public Members Mink Coat**

RFC director Walter E. Costello conceded yesterday that a change in name might be desirable, commenting:

"The public may never hear of RFC again but what they think of a mink coat."

This was an allusion to testimony that Mrs. E. Merle Young, a White House stenographer, received a \$9,450 pastel mink coat paid for by a Washington lawyer accused of wielding influence on RFC loans.

The Senate inquiry subcommittee said that the lawyer, Joseph Rosenbaum, and Mrs. Young's husband are members of the group which exercised influence.

Young testified he signed a note to repay Rosenbaum for the mink coat.

The A. T. & T. statement said "we don't want bookie business."

**Ex-Kansas Senator Sued By Woman Hurt In Wreck**

KANSAS CITY, March 22—(AP)—A \$100,000 damage suit has been filed against Harry Darby, former U. S. Senator from Kansas, and John Sopitic of Kansas City in connection with a traffic accident January 21.

The plaintiff, Miss Eva Sparo, 19, claims she was severely injured when the Darby and Sopitic cars collided. She was a passenger in Sopitic's car.

## Smoke House Closes-Up Shop After 37 Years In Business

One of Sedalia's oldest business establishments, The Smoke House, at 222 West Broadway, expressed appreciation of patronage accorded them and of the friendship they held throughout the years in their business.

The Smoke House has been a favorite meeting place for Sedalians, young and old, since its establishment. Many enjoyed the game of pool as a sport, while others were spectators and some were just passing the time at the Smoke House.

Sedalians will miss the Smoke House in various ways. It has informed baseball fans for years the baseball scores of the day. The Smoke House was generous in giving. It was always willing to help sponsor the town's independent baseball and basketball teams and helped purchase uniforms.

The Smith-Cotton high school football players always gave some extra when an opposing team was forced to punt because a blocked kick meant a free leather jacket from the Smoke House. Delbert Bryant, all-Central Missouri Conference guard for Smith-Cotton, was the last player to win one of these jackets.

Nearly every year the Smoke House brought a name billiard or pocket pool player to Sedalia to give a free exhibition. This cost the owners a considerable amount of money—but the Sedalia sport fans nothing. This was one of the few places in the United States where free exhibitions were given. Among the name players, other than Johnny Layton, who was employed at the Rex theater, in 1916 in the world three-cushion championship tournament in Chicago, Layton won the championship, which he held for 13 years. As he toured the country, sometimes taking part in tournaments, he always gave his address as "Sedalia Missouri, the capital of the world."

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### Bad Habits Catch-Up With Hungry Crocodile

CINCINNATI, March 22—(AP)—Cleopatra, the crocodile from whom stomach bottles, rocks and an assortment of things were taken more than a year ago, died today at the Cincinnati zoo.

She had been back at her old habits. An autopsy disclosed three soft drink bottles in Cleo's stomach, along with small pieces of brick and stone.

**Fire Department Makes 155th Run Of The Year**

The Sedalia fire department received their 155th fire alarm of 1951 Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock when burning grass on a vacant lot at 2000 East 16th street was reported. The fire was started by burning trash and no damage resulted. The fire was extinguished by two boosters.

Every prisoner volunteered. Twelve were selected and taken to the hospital, but only one had the type needed.

Seven of the other contributed a pint each to the hospital blood bank.

The limited number of stations

## Parachutists Block Retreat Of Ko-Reds North Of Seoul

### Boat Brings Marine Vets Back To US

Shortly before 11 p.m. Thursday, Cpl. A. L. Hawkins, Jr., Sedalia Marine among the 1,500 returned home on rotation, called his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hawkins, Sr., from San Francisco.

According to the young Marine, San Francisco townspeople held a gigantic parade for the combat veterans, and presented them the key to the city envelope.

Hawkins informed his parents that his leg wound, received in 38-degree cold near Hagaruri last November 30, is completely healed. Originally a stretcher bearer, Hawkins was pressed into sniper service during that bitter campaign.

After a new issue of clothing Hawkins will come home on furlough. He expects to be here in five to six days.

OAKLAND, Calif., March 22—(AP)—More than 1,500 joyful U. S. Marines and 57 of the nation's heroic Korean war dead came home today.

The 1,529 Marines, many of whom had fought through the 25 below zero cold of the retreat from the Changjin Reservoir, basked in warm sunshine at the rail of their transport, the USS General G. M. Randall, as it docked at an Oakland pier.

The prison to which he will be committed was not disclosed immediately. He can apply for parole after serving one-third of the sentence.

### Convicted On Two Counts

The one-time Phi Beta Kappa student at Johns Hopkins and Harvard universities was convicted Jan. 21, 1950 on two counts of perjury.

In effect, the guilty verdict branded him a liar and a traitor who betrayed his country by slipping government secrets to a pro-Russian spy ring.

Hiss' chief accuser during the two long trials was Whitaker Chambers, avowed former courier for the Red spy apparatus.

Hiss' surrender followed rejection of his appeal of the conviction and the U. S. Supreme court's action last week in refusing to review the case.

The former new deal official, immediately dressed, turned up at the courthouse accompanied by two lawyers. His wife, Priscilla, who sat constantly at his side throughout the trials, was not present.

A source close to Hiss said his attorneys were gathering new evidence by which Hiss hoped to obtain a new trial.

Hiss' first trial—in which two Supreme court justices testified for him as character witnesses—ended in a deadlocked jury. But the second jury believed the sensational story unfolded by Chambers who maintained that Hiss had given him with secret documents for relay to the Russians.

Chambers first made the charges before the House un-American activities committee on Aug. 3, 1948. Hiss hurried before the committee and protested his innocence. He made the same blanket denial before a spy-hunting federal grand jury in New York. But the jury didn't believe him and returned a two-count perjury indictment.

**Meat Workers Cancel Strike After Plea From AFL Chief**

CHICAGO, March 22—(AP)—The AFL meat plant workers announced today "there will be no AFL strike Monday" after receiving a plea from AFL President William Green to delay a threatened nationwide walkout.

The CIO United Packinghouse Workers Union, which had threatened to walkout with the AFL, said it had left "the timing of a strike" to its strike strategy committee. No strike date was announced.

Green sent appeals to both unions representing some 220,000 workers asking them to delay action that might upset negotiations in Washington between the United Labor policy committee and Defense Mobilization officials.

Both unions had threatened to strike Monday.

The action did not rule out the possibility of a strike of CIO meat handlers Monday but the two unions have been acting together throughout the dispute.

The Smith-Cotton high school football players always gave some extra when an opposing team was forced to punt because a blocked kick meant a free leather jacket from the Smoke House. Delbert Bryant, all-Central Missouri Conference guard for Smith-Cotton, was the last player to win one of these jackets.

Nearly every year the Smoke House brought a name billiard or pocket pool player to Sedalia to give a free exhibition. This cost the owners a considerable amount of money—but the Sedalia sport fans nothing. This was one of the few places in the United States where free exhibitions were given. Among the name players, other than Johnny Layton, who was employed at the Rex theater, in 1916 in the world three-cushion championship tournament in Chicago, Layton won the championship, which he held for 13 years. As he toured the country, sometimes taking part in tournaments, he always gave his address as "Sedalia Missouri, the capital of the world."

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**Prisoners Rally To Aid St. Joe Lawyer**

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 22—(AP)—Every prisoner in the Buchanan county jail volunteered to public safety services.

**2,000 Stations Could Open**

With this total, some 2,000 stations could be eventually operated in more than 1,200 communities across the country. This compares with present space for only about 400 stations in 140 locations.

There are now only 107 stations on the air in 64 cities.

This FCC plan tentatively allows for public safety services.

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Twelve were selected and taken to the hospital, but only one had the type needed.

Seven of the other contributed a pint

## Officer From Sedalia Given Command

### Lt. Pharris, Jr., Is At Loran Station On Wake Island

(Special to Sedalia Democrat and Capital)

HONOLULU, T. H., March 17, 1951—Lieutenant Lilburn A. Pharris, Jr., son of Lilburn and Wilma Pharris of 1005 South Missouri Avenue, Sedalia, Missouri, passed through Honolulu recently enroute to the Coast Guard Loran Station at Wake Island to become that station's commanding officer.

The Loran system is a modern electronic aid to navigation by means of which navigators on or over the ocean can determine their positions accurately and quickly, day or night, and under practically any condition of weather or sea. The name "Loran" is derived from the words "LORAnge Aid to Navigation."

At fifteen strategic points throughout the Pacific, between Honolulu and Japan, these stations operate 24 hours a day helping to keep surface vessels and aircraft navigating safely.

Lt. Pharris graduated from the Coast Guard Academy at New London, Connecticut, in 1945 and was commissioned an ensign.

He served for 34 months aboard the famed cutter Bibb on North Atlantic weather patrol and then served one year as executive officer of the (buoy tender) CGC Cactus. He then spent two years as Chief of the Search and Rescue Section of the Second Coast Guard District at St. Louis, Mo.

Prior to his assignment to Loran duty, Lt. Pharris completed five weeks of Loran training at the Coast Guard Training Station at Groton, Connecticut.

Lt. Pharris while a resident of Sedalia had two years in Smith-Cotton High school and also attended Maplewood Junior High school at Maplewood, Mo., finishing his studies at Natic, Mass.

On February 5, this year, Mrs. Pharris gave birth to a son, Thomas Chilton Pharris, and she with the boy are now in Cleveland, Ohio. Lt. Pharris has not had an opportunity of seeing the child owing to his change in the Coast Guard service.

## Red Cross To Fill In Quota

The Pettis County Red Cross campaign still has only 36 per cent of its quota and the fact that all reports yet turned in have exceeded their quotas raises the belief that the solicitors have not been on the job and made their calls. The drive will last until the quota is reached.

The teachers have exceeded their quota this year.

Prairie township, in which Mrs. Granville Thompson and Mrs. Raymond Neitzert were solicitors, have turned in their report which is over the quota set for them.

One hundred per cent firms include Yunker-Lierman, McLaughlin and Kresges.

## Review Civil Defense Appeal

The Pettis County Civil Defense program is still lacking volunteers to carry out its various activities, it was announced Saturday by Major Harry O. Berry, retired, who is appealing to Sedilians to register for some activity.

Registration can be made at the Civil Defense office in the court house on the second floor. The Marine recruiting officers are assisting by registering for Major Berry those people who call. A telephone has also been installed in the office. The number is 1666, and those who care to call and register can do so.

If no answer is received on the first phone call, those desiring to do so can call Major Berry's home at 4358 and his or her name will be placed on the roll.

The past week Major Berry in company with Sheriff John Taylor attended an area meeting at Warrensburg, Mo., at which Sheriff's from this area were in attendance. Discussion of the program was conducted.

### Lee Croft In "Vets" Hospital

Mrs. Eunice Weaver, of Wichita, Kas., has been called here by the serious illness of her brother, George Croft, who is a patient at the Wadsworth Veterans' hospital, in Wadsworth, Kas. She is staying at the home of another brother, Lee Croft, route 5, Sedalia.

## Births

A son born to Mr. and Mrs. George H. Page of Florence, Friday at 3:31 p. m. Weight 9 pounds 4 ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Milazzo, 2512 Cypress, Kansas City, Thursday night, March 8 at 11:35 o'clock. The baby weighed six pounds, three ounces, and has been named Chris Allen. Mrs. Milazzo was formerly Joyce Furnell of this city.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hanlon, Port Heuneme, Calif., on March 12. The baby weighed seven pounds, four and one half ounces and has been named Sarah Maureen.

Mrs. Hanlon was formerly Miss Cornelia Wolf, of Sedalia.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gardner, of Bloomfield, N. Y., at 12:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Weight, six pounds, three ounces. Mrs. Gardner was formerly Miss Alma Kurtz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Kurtz, 1814 East Sixth street and Mr. Gardner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gardner, 301½ West Seventh street.

## Lt. Pharris To Wake Loran Station



Lt. Lilburn A. Pharris Jr., son of Lilburn and Wilma Pharris of Sedalia, Missouri, passed through Honolulu recently enroute to the Coast Guard Loran Station at Wake Island. He will become that station's commanding officer. (Official Coast Guard Photo)

## Still Search For Lt. Stevens

### Letter Tells Of His Being On A Night Flight

Mrs. Maxine H. Stevens, 911 South Prospect, Sedalia, Missouri

Dear Mrs. Stevens:

"I sincerely regret that in writing this letter I must confirm the recent message announcing the sad news that your husband, Second Lieutenant Herbert Stevens, was missing in flight in Japan, has received the following letter from John H. McCormick, Brigadier General, USAF:

"Mrs. Maxine H. Stevens, 911 South Prospect, Sedalia, Missouri

Dear Mrs. Stevens:

"I sincerely regret that in writing this letter I must confirm the recent message announcing the sad news that your husband, Second Lieutenant Herbert Stevens, was missing in flight in Japan, has received the following letter from John H. McCormick, Brigadier General, USAF:

"Our report states that Lieutenant Stevens was the pilot of a military aircraft which became missing while on a night proficiency flight.

"The Department of the Air Force will continue to hold your husband in a missing status until the results of the intensive search that is now in progress are known.

You will be advised immediately of any new information received.

"Within a short time you will be contacted by an Air Force chaplain or a representative of the American Red Cross who is prepared to assist you in any way possible. Permit me to extend to you my heartfelt sympathy during this period of uncertainty.

"Sincerely yours,

"Signed John H. McCormick."

## School Buildings Sold At Auction

Six county school buildings of Green Ridge School District route 8, along with the equipment, were sold at public auction last Saturday, March 10.

The school buildings were sold to the following: Prairie View was sold to Green Ridge American Legion Post No. 491. The members of the Post plan to use the school building for a hall to hold their meetings. The building sold for \$1,650.

Clifford Brownfield bought Hickory Point for \$850.00. He plans to raze the building and build a house in Green Ridge with the lumber.

Cottage was purchased by Milton Durrill for \$1,300. He plans to remodel the building for his home and perhaps run a shop of some kind.

Elmer Kerfoot bought Bennett for \$400 as an investment. The land of the school was sold with the building.

Glover was sold to Dr. Snavely of Sedalia for \$1,325. The school building adjoined Dr. Snavely's farm and will be used as a dwelling.

Lone Elm was purchased by Roy Ray for \$480.00. The school joined his farm and will be remodeled for a home.

Carl L. Ragor of Green Ridge was auctioneer.

## Bothwell Hospital

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. William Thalow, route 4; Mrs. F. W. Keiser, 1004 West Fourth street; Mr. C. W. Rauch, 2000 East Fourteenth street.

Admitted for accident: Mrs. Chester S. Springer, 911 South Ohio avenue.

Dr. Stauffacher said an inquest was not necessary.

Norman Ray Klein was born on the Klein farm, July 21, 1925, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Klein, north of Otterville.

Surviving him are his wife and two children, Dickie, three years old, and Norman Ray Klein, 16 months old. Also surviving are his parents, and the following brothers and sisters: Arthur Klein of Sedalia, Tommy Fritz Klein of South Gentry; Mrs. Lester E. Jones and son, 1520 South Osage; Mrs. Henry L. Powell and daughter, Warsaw; Mrs. Harold E. Fay and son, 253 East Jackson.

## GOP Selects Party Ticket For Election

### Group Stresses Need Of Placing Men On Council

#### REPUBLICAN TICKET

##### For City Council

First Ward  
H. O. Berry

Second Ward  
Nathan L. Brown

Third Ward  
T. J. McMillin

Fourth Ward  
Clyde Swafford

#### Member of School Board

##### Dr. G. H. Abney

The City Republican convention was held Saturday night in the Circuit court room of the county court house with a large crowd in attendance. Co-operation, party strength and the need of Mayor Herb Studer for GOP help in the City Council were stressed throughout.

The nomination of a member to the school board drew the only discussion as to whom would be the nominee. Dr. G. H. Abney was nominated to succeed himself as member after a vote of the four wards proved to favor him.

George Miller, city chairman, presided over the meeting and opened it with a prayer. The different precincts then caucused into their wards and chose their candidate for alderman.

Miller then called the meeting back-to-order and asked the approval of the candidates for the office of councilman.

#### Berry Named For First Ward

L. L. Stuel, chairman of the First Ward delegation, offered the name of H. O. Berry, who is at the present the Civil Defense director for Pettis County. This job receives no compensation. It was unanimously approved. Mr. Berry made a short acceptance speech, vowing to work hard for the office of First Ward alderman.

Glen Kell, chairman of the Second Ward delegation, nominated N. L. Brown, operator of Brown's Cafe at 50 and 65 highway as candidate for Second Ward alderman. This was approved and Mr. Brown made a short but concise talk on why he was a Republican.

The Third Ward then offered the name of T. J. McMillin, a machinist at the Missouri Pacific shops, as their candidate for alderman. Mr. McMillin was a candidate a few years ago and was defeated. He was nominated by Carl Urban and after being nominated made an acceptance speech.

#### Miss Palmer Introduces Swafford

Miss Hazel Palmer, chairman of the Fourth Ward delegation, introduced Clyde Swafford as the Fourth Ward's Republican candidate for councilman. Mr. Swafford was given a high recommendation by several members of the different delegations and was approved without a dissenting voice. He also made an acceptance speech in which he stated that he was reluctant to accept the nomination but the Republican delegations proved that they had whole-hearted confidence in him and that he would make an honest effort to be elected.

The name of Dr. G. H. Abney was approved by the body of delegates to be the Republican candidate for a school board position.

It was voted to have the conference track, tennis and golf tournament on Tuesday, May 4, at Kemper Military Academy in Bonneville.

Bob Roark, coach at Columbia's Hickman high school, was elected president of the conference by the officials.

The all-conference first team took the name stars, but the second squad has plenty of highly regarded cagers.

#### Second Team

##### Name School

Bill Morgan Smith-Cotton

Tom Trimble Columbia

Nick Greven MMA

Bob Pitney Hannibal

Pete Connally MMA

The three remaining members of the Tiger's starting five, senior Bill McCrary and Eddie Johnson and junior Claude Murphy, all received honorable mention.

Smith-Cotton was represented at the meeting by coaches Ralph Dow and Jim Ball and principal Joe Benson.

#### Have Specifications For Electric Work And Heating

The Sedalia Chamber of Commerce now has the specifications for the electrical wiring and fixtures and for the heating and sheet metal work for the new building, according to Chester A. Brown, executive manager of the Chamber of Commerce. They are now ready to give these specifications to anyone interested that they may submit sealed bids.

#### Mrs. H. V. Leist Has Been Very Ill But Is Improved

Mrs. Henry V. Leist, of 2636 Beaumont, McAllen, Texas, a former well known Sedalia resident, has recently suffered several heart attacks, but is much improved, although still weak, according to a communication to a member of the Democrat and Capital staff from her daughter, Mrs. Jessie Leist Shool.

The message stated she had been bedfast for three and a half weeks, and although ill, asks to be remembered to friends here and hopes to hear from them.

He car was pulled from the ditch and he departed.

## Woodland Hospital

Admitted for medical treatment: Miss Mary Homan, Otterville.

Admitted for medical treatment and dismissed: Morris Payne, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Payne of Smithton.

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Z. O. Leffler, 1515½ South Grand avenue.

Dismissed: Sharon Bartlett, 1220 West Main street; Louis Weller, 1623 West Sixteenth street; Mrs. William Valleau, 723 North Grand avenue.

The body was taken to the Hayes and Painter funeral home in Otterville.

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Three divorces were granted by Judge Dinnitt Hoffman of the Circuit court Saturday. They are as follows:

Divorce granted to Irene Ware from Thomas E. Ware, Jr., of Sedalia, who enlisted in the navy last Wednesday and has been sent to San Diego, Calif. He is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school in the class of 1950, and has been working for Sievers Construction company as a labor helper until his enlistment. (Photo by Lehmer)

Divorce granted to Emma Marie Keightley from Orval Keightley. George Anson represented the plaintiff, and a divorce granted to Valmetta Jones from Alvin Jones. Fred F. Wesner represented the plaintiff.

Charles Bolton, and Edward Behen also gave a few remarks concerning the election.

Attention was called to the new registration dates which will be

## 'Sparky' Now In Army



Richard "Sparky" Keene

Richard L. P. "Sparky" Keene, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Kenne of the Lamplighter Lodge on east highway 50, is now stationed with the U. S. Army at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

"Sparky" is a former football and basketball star at Ottawa, Kas. high school. He attended Wentworth Military Academy in 1947.

Stationed with Keene is Don Dowdy, son of Mrs. Lucille Dowdy of 1403 East 12th street. Don won football letters both at Smith-Cotton and with the Warrensburg Mules. He graduated from Smith-Cotton in 1950, and was the Mule's number three center last fall.

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# Marriages, Society, Club Activities In And Around Sedalia

## Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Willard J. Dunkin, 117 East Broadway, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Delta Mae, to Frank Moreland Russell, Radioman Seaman 1/c of the United States Navy, who is en route to the United States from Korea where he has been serving several months. Mr. Russell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Russell, 602 East Eleventh street.

## Wedding Anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. "Toney" Cramer, 1227 Spring street, Sedalia, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary the evening of November 18, 1950, at their home. The evening was spent in conversation and playing games after which refreshments were served. The guests of honor received gifts and cards.

A three-tiered cake, decorated in gold and topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom, was presented to them by their daughter, Ruth.

A bouquet was presented to them by Mrs. Katie Cramer.

Mr. John Anton "Toney" Cramer and Miss Louise Schick were married in Sedalia November 18th 1950 by the Justice of the Peace Noble H. Rogers. They have lived in and near Sedalia all their married life.

They are the parents of one daughter, Mrs. Ernest Schumaker, and four grandchildren, Mrs. Everett Clark, of St. Louis, Kenneth Schumaker, of Huntington Beach, Calif., Mrs. Melvin Chanceller, of San Antonio, Tex., and Fred Schumaker, of Sedalia, who is attending the School for the Deaf at Fulton. They also have two great grandchildren, Weldon and Linda Sue Schumaker, both children of Kenneth Schumaker.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schumaker, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schumaker, Larry and Linda, Fred Schumaker, Mrs. Katie Cramer, Donald Schumaker, Mary Schumaker, Mrs. Edna Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pierce, Marjorie Sue Linda and Bobby Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cramer, Sandra, Jackie and Jimmy George, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Holman and Loy Lee, Miss Lula Schick, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schick, Mrs. Aubrey Jordan, Mrs. James Anderson, Carolyn and Jimmy, Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Schumaker, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sperber and Mrs. Jack Page and son, Jackie, the latter of St. Louis.

Those who sent gifts but were unable to attend were Bill Schick, Mrs. Yates and daughter, Betty Lou, Mrs. W. D. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Blunt, the latter of St. Louis.

A number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Worthley last Sunday to assist them in celebrating their silver wedding anniversary.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Norman Worthley, and children, of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Carver and children, of Marion, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kurtz and daughter, of Chautauqua, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Self and daughter, of Stover; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Bobbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown and daughters Janice and Wanda; Mrs. Connie Hibdon and Julia, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kurtz and son, Wesley, all of Florence.

Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Worthley, and Mrs. Sam Moore, of Florence and Roy Brodersen. They received many nice gifts.

## Latonia Barnett Will Present Music Program

"In a Persian Garden," a song cycle by Liza Lehmann, will be presented on Wednesday afternoon at the Helen G. Steele Music Club by the Conservatory Vocal Quartet. The group of artist singers, directed by Mrs. Latonia Barnett, was to have been heard on February 14th, but bad weather caused a postponement. Members of the quartet are Roberta Manning, soprano; Lillian Arminio, mezzo-soprano; Jack Craig, tenor and Robert Downs, baritone. Their accompanist will be the well known Kansas City pianist, Pearl Roemer Kelly.

The quartet is presenting the last artist program of the club year. Mrs. H. O. Foraker will be chairman of the day.

## Open House This Afternoon

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hall will be celebrated with open house from 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hall, 109 South Quincy avenue.

With them for their anniversary will be the following children and grandchildren: J. R. Hall, Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ackerman and children, Carol and Judith or Joplin; Sgt. Earl Hall of Eglin Field, Fla., Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Floth and children, Harry and Jerry of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Royce W. Hall and children, Charles Allen and Linda of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hall and children, Jeanne and David and Mrs. Alma Young of Philadelphia.

Miss Kuhlman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuhlman of 22 East 4th street, Sedalia. She is a member of the Sodality of Our Lady at Fontbonne, is vice-president of the Footlights club, the organization of the students of dramatics. Her major field of study is speech and dramatics.

Fontbonne is a four-year college for women conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph. Accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary, it is also a Corporate College of St. Louis University.

## Mary Kuhlman In Easter Song Service Sunday

Miss Mary Ann Kuhlman, a sophomore student at Fontbonne College, St. Louis, Missouri, is a member of the College Chorus which is singing the St. Matthew Passion of Bach on Palm Sunday evening, March 18, in the Fontbonne auditorium, Wydown and Big Bend blvd. The singing supplements a Passion play, "The Kingdom Come," by John McCabe being presented by the students and alumnae of Fontbonne.

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## New Books At Public Library

The Faith of Mrs. Kelleen, Kelleen. A quietly powerful Irish tale. Miss Willie ... Giles. The story of a Kentucky hills teacher. The Age of Longing ... Koestler. Paris in the mid-fifties. The Islanders ... Auslander. A tale in beautiful prose. Reference to Death ... Davis. A Crime club mystery. Thief River ... Nye. A Silver Star western. October Fire ... Mayo. When arson breaks out in a small town.



The wedding party of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Borchardt, who were married February 18, in the Otterville Presbyterian church. The bride was formerly Miss Anita Ellen Cline of Otterville.

Front row, left to right: Merrill Burford and Charles Cline. Second row, left to right: Mr. Bill Cline, Mr. Howard Borchardt, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Borchardt, Buck Wright, Rev. Louis Drake, Mrs. Wright Cline and Miss Mary Donley. (Lehmer Photo)

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## OBITUARIES

### Community News from FLORENCE

**Mrs. Edwin Bremer**

**Jacob W. Broyles**  
Funeral services for Jacob W. Broyles will be held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon with Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, to officiate.

Interment will be in the Hope-well cemetery.

The body is at the Ewing funeral home.

#### Funeral of W. Boatright

Funeral services for John William Boatright, 506 East Third street, who died at his home Wednesday morning, will be held at the McLaughlin chapel at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon. The Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, will officiate.

Mrs. W. P. Arnold and Mrs. J. M. Stott, accompanied by Mrs. Clyde Waters, at the organ, will sing, "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder" "Asleep in Jesus" and "The Old Rugged Cross."

Active pallbearers will be: Eugene Grace, Oliver Spinnert, Vernon Jenkins, James Allen, Walter Boatright and Henry Boatright.

Honorary pallbearers will be: Dr. E. C. Snavely, Dr. C. H. Brady, Frank Henderson, Ed Walter, Frank Seifner and Elmer Ford.

Burial will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

The body is at the McLaughlin chapel.

#### Herman F. Rapp

Funeral services for Herman F. Rapp will be held Saturday morning at 11:00 o'clock at the Fifth Street Methodist church. The pastor, the Rev. Lee F. Soxman and the Rev. E. W. Bartley, district supervisor of the Methodist church will officiate.

Mrs. George Lovercamp and Mrs. Ray Hunt will sing "What A Friend We Have in Jesus" and "In the Garden," accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser.

Pallbearers will be A. B. Alexander, A. Brooks Wade, Edward Christian, W. C. Paull, Werner Botts and Ralph Boies.

Burial will be in the Memorial Park cemetery.

The body will remain at the Gillepsie funeral home until 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning when it will be taken to the Fifth Street Methodist church. The casket will not be opened at the close of the service.

#### Walter Parker Dawson

Walter Parker Dawson, age 82, died at 12:30 Thursday afternoon at his home in Clarksburg. He had been in failing health for sometime, however his death was sudden, due to a heart attack.

Mr. Dawson was born near Russellville, Mo., March 11, 1869, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Noah Dawson. He has been a resident of Clarksburg for the past ten years.

He married Miss Johanna Farmer, who survives. To this union was born nine sons and three daughters, who survive. They are: Wade of Webster Groves; Glen, St. Louis; Clifford and Arlie of Houston; Mo.; Dolph, Lebanon, Mo.; Horace and Eno of Reunells, Iowa; and Joseph of Clarksburg. Three daughters: Mrs. James Morgan of St. Louis; Mrs. Robert Dubois, Jacksonville, Ill.; and Mrs. Herbert Fullks of Los Angeles. Many grandchildren and great-grandchildren also survive.

The body is at the Richards funeral home in Tipton. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

#### Funeral of N. R. Klein

Funeral services for Norman Ray Klein, 26, Smithton, who was found dead last Saturday at his home, were held at the Otterville Methodist church Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. The Rev. H. A. Wood, pastor, officiated. Short services were also held at the home preceding the church ceremony.

Thornton Wear and Gus Wear sang, "Unclosed Days," "The Home Over There" and "Sweet By and By," accompanied by Mrs. Walter Castle.

Pallbearers were: C. W. Cline, George Burnett, Glen Cave, Virgil Bryan, Jr., Samuel Caton and Glenn Schroeder.

Burial was in the Otterville I. O. O. F. cemetery. The Otterville Legion Post members participating in the graveside ceremonies.

#### Mrs. Pearl Minor

Mrs. Pearl Minor, 205 East Morgan, wife of Dan Minor, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lillian Steward, 524 North Lamine avenue at 2:35 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon at the Memorial Baptist church. The Rev. J. S. Spriggs of Marshall will officiate.

Pallbearers will be members of the church.

The body will remain at the Ferguson funeral home until time for services.

Burial will be in the Fairview cemetery in Marshall.

#### Services For Mrs. McKinney

Funeral services for Mrs. Rachel McKinney, 84, 208 West Morgan street, who died Tuesday morning, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Taylor chapel Methodist church. The pastor, the Rev. F. C. Wharry, will officiate. Mrs. McKinney was the oldest living member of the Taylor Chapel Methodist church.

Pallbearers will be: Charles M. Walker, W. A. Clark, Richard Cline, R. L. Jackson, Vincent Bank and H. S. Tutt.

The body will remain at the

## Interpreting The News

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR.  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Sometimes the Russian way of doing business is enough to make you burst out laughing—if it didn't lead to so many tears.

Stalin even agreed to abolish the old Comintern and permit representatives of the United States to send him one fifth of all the supplies which he used in his defense against

Mrs. White's parents of Walston Staffordshire.

Mr. and Mrs. George Worthley and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houchen were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Michalkowsky on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eldenburg and Robert had as supper guests Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mertgen. It was the eighteenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Mertgen.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Page are parents of a son born Saturday at the Bothwell hospital. This is their third child. They have two daughters, Carolyn and Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Biege Rogers of Kansas City spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Rogers parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bramble, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kanenbom and family were visitors on Sunday also.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Casdorph were surprised Sunday morning when all their children and grandchildren came to spend the day with them in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary, which was on March 13. A very delicious dinner was served at the noon hour to which all contributed. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Casdorph and sons, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. James Casdorph of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Elkins and daughters of Los Angeles, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Casdorph, Mr. and Mrs. Heinz Schupp and Ronny of Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Casdorph and Mary Jane, and Mr. Roy Casdorph of Florence. Also Mr. R. Mosby of Sedalia and Mrs. Elkins and Patty of Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Tieman were business visitors in Kansas City on Monday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hotspenner and family on Sunday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. William Hotspenner and family of Fortuna.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Helms and sons of Tipton were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Duvel and Paul last Sunday.

T-Sgt. Jimmie E. Bremer of Chanute Field, Illinois and Mrs. Bremer of Sedalia, also Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Simon of Sedalia spent Saturday night in the E. H. Bremer home.

Mr. Roy Casdorph, who has been a patient at the Veteran's hospital in Wadsworth, Kansas, for several weeks was able to return to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Casdorph, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Boo Klein and sister, Miss Susie, attended funeral services of Mr. Norman Ray Klein at Otterville Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houchen were Stover and Versailles visitors on Monday.

Mrs. Joe Tieman spent the week-end in Sedalia with her mother Mrs. Clevron and sister Miss Clara.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Davison and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Brunkhorst were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mertgen and family.

Mrs. Christine Koegler had as visitors Sunday her two daughters, Mrs. Lee Long of Lees Summit, and Mrs. Louis Northcraft, her children and father-in-law, Mr. Northcraft of Kansas City.

The jury which heard the case was composed of George M. Bryan, Dan Robinson, Paul Marsh, L. C. Holman, E. J. Dirck, Emmett Ruffin, L. B. Hammond, Glenn Rhoads, Hall Alexander, E. J. Hineman, John Hampton and A. E. Trueblood.

**Bothwell Hospital**

Admitted for tonsillectomy: Virginia Ann Staley and Margaret Kay Staley, both of 917 South Grand avenue, and Susan Bopp, 1216 West Second street.

Admitted for medical treatment: Roby Kanoy, 1202 South Park avenue; Mrs. Vernon E. Wray, 5216 West Second street; J. C. Stevens, Houston.

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Mary Woodward, 2121 South LaSalle; Mrs. Ruby Hamm, 903 East Seventh street.

Dismissed: Misses Martha and Virginia Ann, 917 South Grand avenue; Mrs. Robert Logan, route 3; Miss Susan Bopp, 1216 West Second street; Otto Ebdon, 322, Tyler, Tex., both were found guilty on all three counts of the indictment against them. The three counts were entering a bank with intent to rob, stealing from a bank and transporting stolen goods across a state line. The two men could be sentenced to terms of up to 40 years each.

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In denying a defense motion for a new trial, U. S. District Judge T. Alan Goldsborough banged his hand on the bench for emphasis and said:

"If ever a human being on the face of the earth had a fair trial, this defendant did."

The judge then announced that he will impose sentence at 10 a.m. EST, Friday, April 6.

**Mrs. Dennis to be Superintendent**

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### Community News from Syracuse

By Mrs. B. A. Bridges

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. White of Albuquerque, N. Mex., visited over the week-end with Mr. White's mother Mrs. H. W. Taylor and Mr. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. White recently returned from a two-month trip to England where they visited Mrs. White's parents of Walston Staffordshire.

Mr. and Mrs. White went from Syracuse to Kansas City to visit with other relatives accompanied by Mrs. Taylor who visited until Friday with her daughter Mrs. Charles LaMar, Mr. LaMar and family. She also visited another son C. W. White and Mrs. White and family. While there the families enjoyed a birthday dinner honoring Rusty White, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. White, who celebrated his first birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Georgia Austin and daughter Mrs. Arelene Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Austin and children of Kansas City visited Sunday with Mrs. Georgia Austin's sister Mrs. J. A. Allison and Mr. Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Kester Potter and daughter Linda visited friends in Marshall Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. George Monroe of Harrisonville spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Harold Stahl and children and visited with Harold Stahl, a patient at the Bothwell hospital in Sedalia. The Rev. and Mrs. Monroe and Mrs. Leon Stahl also of Harrisonville were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Huff and daughter Patricia of Columbia were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. Huff's mother Mrs. Clara Huff. After dinner they spent the evening with Douglas Hays of Tipton and sister Mrs. Al White Jr., Mr. White and daughter Maryland who remained with her brother for five days after the death of their mother Mrs. Oscar Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peoples and daughter Norma of Kansas City were weekend guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. George Peoples and Mr. and Mrs. George Oswald.

The Gilroy school building and land north of town were sold at the public sale Saturday afternoon to Bill Klein.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Allison of Waverly, Mrs. Will Maness of Sedalia and Mrs. Lincoln Schilb of Otterville visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Palmer.

The P. T. U. director Miss Beulah Mae Peoples reported 35 enrolled for the Training Union revival at the church last week, directed by Dr. C. L. Bishop of Jefferson City. Teachers for the different groups were, adults, the Rev. Dimidius of Jefferson City; intermediates, Paul Edwin Stahl; juniors, Miss Peoples, and the story hour, Mrs. George Peoples.

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